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Central Universities in Karnataka

1494. SHRI B.L. SHANKAR : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

- (a) the Central universities at present in Karnataka;
- (b) whether the Union Government propose to take over or open any other university in the State as Central University;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MUHI RAM SAIKIA) : (a) to (d) There is no Central University in Karnataka, nor does the Central Government propose to take over any university, open or otherwise, in the State. Given the resource constraints and the need to consolidate existing institutions, Government is, generally, disinclined to establish new Universities.

Fake Medicines

1495. SHRI JANG BAHADUR SINGH PATEL : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :

- (a) whether the police has busted a gang of making fake medicines in Allahabad and some other parts of Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken by the Government in the matter ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SALEEM IQBAL SHERVANI) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. As per information, received from Director, Medical & Health Services, U.P., 14 cases of spurious drugs were recovered from Allahabad & Dehradun.

(c) Appropriate action against the concerned persons under the provision of the Drugs & Cosmetics Act, 1940 and rules made thereunder, will be initiated by the State Government after the results of medicine sample analysis are received and investigations completed.

[Translation]

Tribal Art and Culture

1496. SHRI N.J. RATHWA : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

- (a) whether any proposals/applications for grant have been received from voluntary organisations, institutions of States including Gujarat for development and spread of tribal and village art and culture during the last three years;

(b) if so, the details thereof, state-wise;

(c) the names of the voluntary organisations and institutions and details of grant given to them year-wise under this scheme and the details of their achievements so far;

(d) whether it is a fact that the grant given to these voluntary organisations and institutions by the Central Government has not utilised properly;

(e) if so, whether Government propose to examine this issue; and

(f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI S.R. BOMMAI) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) A list showing details is placed below as Statement-I.

(c) A list showing names of the organisations who have received grants under the Scheme is placed below as Statement-II. After getting grants, the organisations submit their project Report and thereafter they get the subsequent instalments.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise.

(f) Does not arise.

Statement-I

Statement showing the number of Applications State-wise

Sl.No.	Name of the State/U.T.	Number of Applications considered by the Expert Committee		
		1993-94	1994-95	1995-96
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Andhra Pradesh	20	5	5
2.	Assam	—	3	—
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	1	1	1
4.	Bihar	19	16	48
5.	Chandigarh	—	—	4
6.	Delhi	9	55	46
7.	Gujarat	1	—	—
8.	Haryana	1	3	1
9.	Himachal Pradesh	—	27	—
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	—	1	1
11.	Karnataka	5	1	1
12.	Kerala	5	30	14
13.	Goa	—	—	1
14.	Maharashtra	2	1	2